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TO: **IMMEDIATE MEXI** INFO CITE DIR **75338**

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REF MEXI 6483 (IN 38148)\*

1. **LIANG SUZU CH'ENG** 2733 1835 2052, 201-736701 BORN 1901, T.S.I.

LANGUAGE: **ENGLISH**. MEMBER **CCP**.

**BACKGROUND:**

1923 **BA TSINGHUA UNIV**  
28 **BA, MA UNIV PEKING**  
28 **MA HARVARD**  
28-31 **PROF AT NATIONAL NORTHEASTERN UNIV, CHINA**  
**RESEARCH**  
31-41 **RESEARCH FELLOW, INSTITUTE/ CHINESE ARCHITECTURE**  
32-33 **PROF NATIONAL PEKING UNIV; PROF NATIONAL TSINGHUA**  
**UNIV, PEKING**  
**RESEARCH**  
41-43 **RESEARCH FELLOW, ACADEMIA SINICA**  
46 **PROF NATIONAL TSINGHUA UNIV, PEKING**  
47 **HONORARY FELLOW YALE: VISITING PROF YALE**  
50-51 **MEMBER OF TSINGHUA UNIV**  
55-51 **HEAD OF DEPT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURE,**  
**TSINGHUA; VICE PRESIDENT ARCHITECTURE SOCIETY**

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56 **ASSOC, INSTITUTE CIVIL AND ARCHITECTURAL**  
**ENGINEERING, ACADEMY OF SCIENCES CPE, HANKIN**  
DEC 58 **MEMBER STANDING COMMITTEE, THIRD NATIONAL CONGRESS,**  
**CHINA DEMOCRATIC LEAGUE**  
SEP 58 **MEMBER NATIONAL COMMITTEE CHINA SCIENTIFIC AND**  
**TECHNICAL ASSOC**  
APR 59 **DEPUTY SECOND NATIONAL PEOPLE'S CONGRESS FROM**  
**PENING, MEMBER STANDING COMMITTEE, THIRD NATIONAL**  
**COMMITTEE CPPOC**  
OCT 62 **VICE CHAIRMAN CHINA ARCHITECTURAL SOCIETY**  
SEP 63 **DEPUTY LEADER OF CPE DELEGATION TO SEVENTH INTER-**  
**NATIONAL CONGRESS OF ARCHITECTS, HAVANA**

2. **HE SELF CRITICISM FOLLOWING EXTRACTS FROM LIANG'S SPEECH TO THE**  
**NPC, JULY 13 1957 ENTITLED "WHY I LOVE OUR PARTY". DEPUTY LIANG, AFTER DESCRIBING**  
**"THE BRILLIANT INDUSTRIAL, AGRICULTURAL, SCIENTIFIC, AND CULTURAL ACHIEVEMENTS**  
**OF OUR NATION," TOLD OF HIS PAST ANXIETY AND PERPLEXITY IN HIS OWN WORK. HE**  
**SAID THAT AT THE TIME HE HAD USED OUT-DATED ARCHITECTURAL THEORIES TO TEACH THE**  
**YOUNG INSTRUCTORS AND STUDENTS OF THE TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY BECAUSE HE WAS BOTHERED**

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BY THE STATEMENT THAT SOMETHING OF THE PARTY WAS GOOD. HE SAID THAT AFTER HE HAD WRITTEN ARTICLES, MADE REPORTS, AND DELIVERED LECTURES ON HIS ANTICIPATED ARCHITECTURAL THEORIES, HE SUDDENLY DISCOVERED THAT HE WAS A NATIONAL TARGET FOR REPUTATION. HE SAID "I WAS DOWNHEARTED. I HAVE NO QUARREL WITH THE PARTY. I WAS SURE I WAS BEING SUBJECTED TO CRITICISM BECAUSE MY ARCHITECTURAL THEORIES DID NOT FIT INTO THE NATIONAL CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM. MY DATE WAS AS DEEP AS THAT OF A CHILD BEING PUNISHED BY HIS MOTHER. WHY? BECAUSE I TRUSTED OUR PARTY AS MUCH AS I HAD TRUSTED MY MOTHER. THE PARTY, HOWEVER, WAS VERY PATIENT WITH ME. AFTER I CALIBRATED OUT MY ERRORS, I ADMITTED MY MISTAKES." HE SAID: "I WAS A FRIVOLOUS SON. AFTER THIS EDUCATION, I WILL NEVER HARM OUR PARTY --- NOT EVEN A STEP AWAY FROM IT."

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3. STPLATE 1 (IMM) WHO REMAINS UNDER LIANG AT UNIV YALE OF  
OPINION THAT LIANG WOULD NOT ACCEPT REASSIGNMENT IN PLACE BUT THERE IS CHANCE  
HE WOULD DEFECT IF OFFERED CHANCE LIVE OUTSIDE CHINA. HAS CONSIDERS LIANG AS  
CANDIDATE FOR IDENTIFYING OR RECRUITING. REPORTEDLY THE AGO AND BACKGROUND TEAM  
WOULD MAKE GOOD IN PLACE AGENT.

4. SENDING STPLATE 1 TO WORK UNDER STATION DIRECTION AS A POSSIBLE  
BRIDGE TO LIANG. STPLATE 1 LONG TIME REBARK CONTACT BUT IS NOT TRAINED CASE  
OFFICER. HAS BEEN USED PRINCIPALLY IN RECH WORK IN PAST. <sup>MAY BE</sup> ~~SANDED ONE WILL~~  
FURTHER BACKGROUND.

5. STPLATE 1 WILL USE TOURIST COVER AND WILL REMAIN ONLY TWO DAYS DUE  
HEAVY PERSONAL COMMITMENTS. HIS FUNCTION WILL BE TO USE PAST FRIENDSHIP TO  
ATTEMPT ESTABLISH CONTACT LIANG AND DETERMINE WHETHER LIANG INTERESTED DEFECTION.  
IF SO STATION SHOULD BE PREPARED SAFEHOUSE UNTIL FURTHER STEPS CAN BE TAKEN.

6. STPLATE 1 ARRIVING MEXI 12 OCTOBER 2145 HOURS VIA EASTERN  
AIR LINES FLITE 305. HAVE BRIEFED HIM WILL BE MET BY SANDED. STPLATE 1

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WILL WEAR RED WHITE BLUE TIE. IF CONTACT MISSED STPLATE 1 TO PROCEED  
CITY AND CONTACT MARINE GUARD AT EMBASSY ASKING FOR SANCTUARY. AUTHORIZE  
STATION ADVANCE OPERATIONAL FUNDS AND PER DIEM AS NECESSARY TO STPLATE 1  
SINCE NO OPPORTUNITY DO SO HERE. CHARGE LCHARVEST COA.

END OF MESSAGE

FI Staff Lloyd George (by phone)

DC/PSD/OS Steve Kuhn (by phone)

CI Staff Mr. Mertz (by phone)

DCFE(C) ✓

C/WE/3 J. Whitten (by phone)

William C. ...  
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